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Serial No. 08/716,169 Filing Date: December 17, 1996
 Examiner: P. Nolan Group Art Unit: 1644
 Invention: "Peptide Fragments of Microbial Stress Proteins and
Pharmaceutical Composition Made Thereof for the Treatment and
Prevention of Inflammatory Diseases"

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
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PEPTIDE FRAGMENTS OF MICROBLA
STRESS PROTEINS AND
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION
MADE THEREOF FOR THE
TREATMENT AND PREVENTION OF
INFLAMMATORY DISEASES

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 29, 1998,
please enter the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 9-16, 19 and 20.

Please amend claims 1, 2, 5, 6 and 8 as follows.

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